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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

"BLACK LEG" has broken out among the cattle of Texas.

MRS. MELISSA COWAN suicided with a razor at Killem, Texas.

ED. NOBLES, recently acquitted of murder, was assassinated near Peoria, Ill.

JOHN G. WHITE, of Salineville, O., was crushed to death by a train.

ELIJAH HENDERSON was fatally shot by Silas Johnson at a country dance in Arkansas.

A JUDGMENT of \$331 was forcibly collected from Remenyi, the celebrated violinist, at Chicago.

THE announcement comes over the wires that the Hon. Samuel J. Tilden's physical condition is improving.

ALFRED C. COX, a member of the Y. M. C. A., of Milwaukee, has confessed to the commission of a series of thefts.

MOSE PLATT, said to have served with the Duke of Wellington at Waterloo, died at Akron, O., aged ninety-three years.

UNDER the new Civil Service law women will be entitled to contest for any and all department positions.

THE jury in the case of Jeters, on trial at Indianapolis for murder, after being out fifty-four hours, failed to agree and were discharged.

AN armistice has been agreed upon by the New York milk men, yet the war among them is said not to be at an end by any means.

FRANK AMANN was literally cut to pieces at Erie, Pa., by a dozen trains passing over his body. It is suspected that he was murdered and the body placed upon the track.

TWO CHICAGO gamblers, John Dowling and Joe Martin, have been shooting at each other without effect, and a duel is now talked of as a means of adjusting their differences.

BILLY MADDEN, the pugilistic trainer, has brought Charles Mitchell, the champion prize fighter of England, to this country, who, he promises, shall whip Sullivan, Slade or any other man.

A SERIOUS rupture seems likely to occur in the Grace Episcopal Church, of Cleveland, caused by the introduction, as a part of the church ritual, of a confessional similar to those in the Catholic Church.

Miraculous Escape from Death.

GLOUCESTER, MASS., March 25.—The schooner Samuel Gilman, of Boston, Capt. Nickerson in ballast, bound for Rockport after a cargo of paving stones, went ashore on Straitsmouth Point at 1 o'clock yesterday. A heavy gale was blowing, and the tremendous seas made a clean breach over the ill-fated vessel. The crew could be plainly seen from the shore clinging to the rigging, but the undertow was so heavy that the lifeboat did not dare venture out. For five hours the wretched sailors hung there, wet to the skin, amid piercing blasts and grasping the icy ropes with numb fingers in full sight of the helpless crowd on shore. At last a big wave, more powerful than the rest, picked the vessel up as if it had been an eggshell and landed her so high on the beach that the men could with difficulty get ashore. Straitsmouth, where they now are, is four miles from the mainland, and there is no way of reaching them to-night. The vessel will be a total loss. The escape of the men was miraculous.

Asked to Renounce the Union.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 26.—The strike at the Vulcan Steel Works has proved a most disastrous one to the strikers. When the places of the latter were filled with non-union men it was thought by the strikers that the outsiders would make a failure of making steel, and that the mill owners would have to recall the union men, but the non-union workmen made a success of their task and the result was a backset for the unionists, which they were unprepared for. Tired of lying idle and seeing defeat staring them in the face, the union men on Saturday last made the proprietors an offer which was nothing less than a proposition to return to work at the reduction originally offered. The proprietors to-day signified their willingness to take back the strikers on their terms, providing they left the union and renounced it forever. The strikers are considering this last proposition, and affairs as a result are now in statu quo.

Opposed to the Eight-Hour Law.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Secretary Lincoln was asked if, in view of the recent order of Secretary Chandler constituting eight hours a legal day's work at the United States Navy Yards, he would take similar action in regard to workmen in United States Armories, etc. He replied: "I have not given the subject much consideration, but at present I do not feel disposed to favor ten hours' wages for eight hours' labor."

AN ACQUITTAL

THAT RESULTED IN DEATH.

Wolgammatt's Alleged Murderer Shot From Ambush.

HEARTRENDING SCENES AT THE CORONER'S INQUEST.

Fears That a Sister Will Become Insane—No Clue to the Assassin.

PEORIA, ILL., March 26.—The News correspondent has just returned from Mapleton, the theater of the tragedy which occurred last night, in which Ed. Noble, one of the parties who recently figured as the defendant in the trial for the murder of Jonathan Wolgammatt, met his death at the hands of an unknown assassin. The details of the murder of Wolgammatt, the arrest of Ed. Noble and Enoch, his father, and their extraordinary acquittal by the jury, have already been chronicled. Since that time the feeling against the Nobles has been very strong. They have been openly threatened with death. An indignation meeting was held shortly after their acquittal, at the conclusion of which both men were hanged in effigy. The Nobles, being thus threatened, went across the river to Tazewell county and rented farms; but having some stock around the old place, Ed. Noble returned for the purpose of driving it to their new home. He arrived at the old place and started with the stock at once, accompanied by his brother, a young lad fourteen years old. Within a half mile of Mapleton, just as they came to a lonely point where the road ran alongside a deep ravine, from the shelter of an uprooted tree by the roadside, the loud discharge of a gun was heard and Ed. Noble fell from his horse a corpse. Nine bullets had entered his body. The body lay in the road where it fell until this morning, when the coroner reached the spot. In the meantime a man had risen from the shelter of the roots of a tree and made good his escape. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death from gunshot wounds, received at the hands of some unknown parties.

A distressing scene occurred at the inquest, when the old man Noble and his family reached the spot. The old man raved and tore his hair, and cursed the unknown destroyer of his son, while the grief of his two sisters, handsome young women of eighteen and twenty, was heart-rending. The oldest at one time seemed as though about to become a maniac, but overtired nature gave way, and she finally sank back into the blessed oblivion of unconsciousness.

There is great excitement in the vicinity of the tragedy, and while some say, "Served him right," the majority of the community express deep horror at the tragedy.

FINDING THE BODIES

IN THE MINES AT BRAIDWOOD.

A Pile of Bodies Found Beneath Over a Ton of Rock.

BRAIDWOOD, ILL., March 26.—The search in the Diamond Mines was continued all night. Shortly before daylight this morning four more bodies were discovered. They were lying upon a great pile of rocks, and the first was lying upon his face, with his coat thrown over his head. Another was completely buried by rock, with only the feet visible. The third was apart from the rest, on the floor of the tunnel, pinned down by a great fragment of stone.

The nine bodies so far recovered were brought up before dark. A large fire had been lit in front of the morgue and surrounding prairie fires for miles combined to make a weird scene. No bodies so far are recognized. Two are claimed by fellow workmen to be those of Paddy Healey and Jim Hoover, but the relatives repudiate the identification. The inquest takes place at noon, and the interments either this afternoon or to-morrow morning. A constant stream of people is pouring through the morgue. All business is suspended for miles around and the place is full of strangers.

The second detail of the searching party of fifteen men have just gone down, and the report of those to come up is awaited with painful eagerness by the thousands at the head of the shaft.

LATER.

CHICAGO, March 26.—A report just comes from the Diamond Mine that a large pile of bodies has been found beneath over a ton of rock. The work of extrication will take some time. It is generally believed more bodies have been found than

reported, but the searchers are chary of bringing them to the surface, in consequence of fears of the reaction upon the wives, mothers and other relatives, who cannot be persuaded to abandon their vigil at the head of the shaft and return home.

AN ENGLISH FIGHTER.

Having Vanquished all the Champions of Europe, is Ready to Meet Sullivan, Slade or Any Other Man.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The steamer Republic, which arrived yesterday, had among her passengers Billy Madden, of this city, and Charles Mitchell, of Birmingham, England. Mitchell has been brought here by Madden to fight Sullivan or Slade or any other man who may challenge him. He has vanquished all competitors in England, he says, and there is no longer a field for him there. Madden and Mitchell were met at the dock by Harry Hill, and were escorted to Flushing, L. I. Mitchell's last fight was with Tug Wilson, whom he defeated last December, after the latter's return home from this country. He then issued a challenge to all England, but he found no one to accept it.

An Armistice in the Milk War.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The milk war which for over a week has agitated the people of New York may be called at an end, but only an armistice has really been agreed upon. The committee of producers met at the Cosmopolitan Hotel to-day, and though they were unable to agree with the committee of dealers from the milk exchange, a committee from the independent dealers met them late in the afternoon and compromised the matter by agreeing to a yearly rate of forty cents. The milk exchange members say they will not countenance the action of the independent dealers, and will not allow them to dictate terms on which to make contracts. The prospects are that the consumers will yet be treated to a triangular fight, in which the producers and the two branches of the dealers will take part, while between the three parties the consumer will be made to still further suffer from a short supply of milk.

Collecting a Judgment from Remenyi.

CHICAGO, March 26.—The celebrated violinist, Edward Remenyi, was sued by Pitkin & Craver for printing, and a judgment obtained against him for \$331 two years ago. Saturday Deputy Sheriff Best took an execution and called at Remenyi's rooms in the Grand Pacific Hotel. By a little ruse the officer seized his best violin valued at \$5,000, and thus made the levy. Remenyi was frantic, and appealed to the officer in five languages to leave the violin, and he offered a gold watch, chain, a diamond pin and \$50 in cash—in fact, everything he had in the room—to spare the violin. The officer was obdurate, and carried away the instrument. As a concert was on the bills for the evening, the violinist raised the necessary cash and paid the judgment, received the violin and locked it securely in the vault. It is stated that he is worth \$40,000.

Black Leg in Texas Cattle.

HOUSTON TEX., March 26.—"Black leg" has broken out among the cattle in this (Harris) county, and some valuable stock has been lost. In the northern part of the county one farmer has lost several very valuable cows and yearlings. The disease has not as yet made its appearance in the lower part of the county, where there are thousands of cattle, horses, and other stock. Stock owners are viewing the slow spread of the disease with much uneasiness, and are apprehensive of the result should it gain a foothold in any of the large herds, and every effort is being made to confine the disease in the section in which it has originated.

Duel Between Chicago Gamblers.

CHICAGO, March 25.—Johnny Dowling and Joe Martin, noted gamblers, have been laying for each other to settle an old feud. Yesterday morning they met in Gambler's alley, and after ferociously eyeing each other pulled their pistols and opened a desperate duel. People fled in all directions, creating great excitement. They fired five times each, hitting a cat, doors, windows, and everything except each other. The cat died. Dowling was arrested yesterday evening. A private commission will arbitrate the trouble, and adjust damages on breakage of windows by the bullets.

A Young Mail Thief.

SHREVEPORT, LA., March 26.—Phillip Samuel Fleming, a twelve-year-old boy, was sentenced by the United States Court to five years in the Boys' House of Refuge in St. Louis for extracting mail matter from the postoffice box of H. F. Doll, of this city.

A Possible Crime Concealed.

ERIE, PA., March 26.—Frank Amann was cut to pieces last night on the railroad, one mile east from here, a dozen trains having passed over his body. It is believed he was waylaid by tramps, knocked senseless and laid on the track yesterday. He had a large sum of money on his person.

CHURCH TROUBLES.

REV. HINKLE'S ORNATE RITUAL.

Gives Promise of Thoroughly Destroying the Christian Spirit of "Progressive Religion."

CLEVELAND, O., March 26.—There is serious trouble in Grace Episcopal Church here. Some months ago the pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. Hinkle, established a confessional similar to those in the Catholic Church and claimed it was according to the ritual of the church. The matter has raised a tremendous row in the congregation, and there are now two opposing factions in the church. Those belonging to what is known as the Hinkle congregation are live, zealous, energetic members of the church, who are rather favorable to elaborate ritualistic proceedings. The other side are opposed to an ornate ritual as represented by the pastor, and said to be in the habit of drawing an invidious distinction between the present condition of the church and the preceding and more satisfactory period. The annual meeting of the officials of the church takes place to-morrow and a great deal of interest is attached to the meeting. It is probable that an effort will be made to force a resignation upon Dr. Hinkle. One of the highest officials in the church, in answer to a question as to whether an effort was to be made at the annual election to depose Dr. Hinkle, replied that to many of the congregation the pastor was distasteful, and that since the facts about his private confessional had become the property of the public a number have left the church. Another prominent church official said: "Dr. Hinkle belongs to a secret monastic order that has its headquarters in England. It is from that order that he received and accepted those high ritualistic ideas that border on Romanism. I tell you that English order is dangerous. I am credibly informed that one of their doctrines is that old cardinal doctrine of the Jesuits that the end justifies the means. When a man believes that and is ready to practice it, then I think he has approached very near the border of Roman Catholicism."

It was learned to-day that the finances of the church have been in a very bad condition for some time, and that the management had been incompetent and disastrous, and that the election to-morrow would result in a thorough investigation of the manner in which the finances of the church had been managed. It may be significant, in this connection, to state that the finances are controlled by the anti-Hinkle faction.

A DOCTOR'S RECKLESSNESS.

Being Drunk, He Gives Morphine for Quinine and Kills Two Children.

SHELBYVILLE, ILL., March 26.—A sad case of seeming criminal carelessness has come to light. Two children of Mrs. Smith had been ailing, and were attended by Dr. Brandt, of Lakeview. Last Tuesday he called, and leaving some tonic, which he claimed were quinine powders, thought his visits no longer required. About noon one of the powders was given to each child, and almost instantly both were taken alarmingly ill. Three hours after the babe died in spasms. The other child, with the same symptoms, lingered until morning, when he, too, died. On Monday the doctor called, asked for and received the remaining powders. Suspicion was aroused. Yesterday the coroner was notified, and with two physicians, Drs. Catherwood and Wentworth, repaired to the scene. The bodies were exhumed, a post mortem held, and the doctors gave it as their opinion that the children died from an overdose of morphine, given by mistake for quinine. It appeared in evidence before the coroner's jury that Dr. Brandt was under the influence of liquor when he prepared the powder, and the matter will be further elucidated by the grand jury.

RAVONINAHILIRINARIVO

And His Brethren Listen to a Seamon by Mr. Beecher.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 26.—The Malagasy ambassadors attended Plymouth Church yesterday and were provided with seats in the center aisle by Mr. Moses Beach and Gen. Horatio C. King. The Rev. Henry Ward Beecher then told his congregation why the ambassadors were visiting this country, after which he delivered his usual Sunday sermon. After the sermon Mr. Beecher called the Ambassadors to the platform, and their chief delivered a short address, which was interpreted for the congregation.

Ravoninahilirinavivo thanked the people in the name of the Queen. In conclusion, Mr. Beecher, addressing the chair and congregation, said: "I want you now to show these gentlemen how a free, American congregation can sing. We will sing America." The hymn was then sung in true Plymouth church style, and the congregation was dismissed with the benediction.

HOWE'S SUCCESSOR.

PROSPECTS OF FRANK HATTON.

Indiana Believes That the Hon. J. C. New is Peculiarly Fitted for the Position, and That the Golden Opportunity Has Arrived.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Immediately upon the receipt of a telegram here last evening announcing the death of Postmaster General Howe, at Madison, Wis., the politicians began forecasting his successor, and the possible changes the death will make in the cabinet. It is the general belief that First Assistant Postmaster General Hatton, who by custom will succeed to acting Postmaster General until the President names the successor, will be chosen. Mr. Hatton has for several months been one of the President's confidants. He has, in fact, been the Postmaster General from the day of his introduction into his office, and is considered by every one as especially strong with the President. Hatton seems to have made a very good officer. He is energetic and plain spoken. He is free and easy. He does not get excited, and acts on the spur of the moment with as good judgment as when he takes his time to a problem. All these qualities suit the President. Postmaster General Howe has not figured prominently at cabinet meetings at any time, and has been represented by proxy at most of the late meetings of late, so that his death, while fully recognized and deeply felt, will not occasion any special distress. The death was not a surprise here, as it has been known for some time that the Postmaster General was rapidly failing in physical strength.

The friends of Assistant Treasurer John C. New, of Indiana, are talking strongly for Mr. New for the postmaster generalship. They say this is the golden opportunity to give to Indiana the long-promised Cabinet position.

THE LADIES' CHANCE

UNDER THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW.

They May Compete for the Best Offices.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Women in and out of the departments have been studying the civil service laws, and have decided that under them no distinction can be made between the sexes in competing for places. The sexes must be subjected to the same tests, and if the women excel they must be selected for appointment. One would think that this is a self-evident proposition, but it is a rather startling one to the male clerks, and to the heads of departments, who, as a general thing, are opposed to any increase in the force of female clerks. Heretofore women have been obliged to enter the service at much lower salaries than men, and have never been advanced to the higher grades. Two-thirds of the male clerks have been appointed originally to unclassified vacancies at salaries of \$1,200 per year. On the other hand, there are few, if any instances, of females being appointed to first-class clerkships when first entering the service. They are almost universally placed at \$70 or \$75 per month, no matter what their qualifications. Further than this, some inquiry has failed to hear of any instance of a female clerk being advanced to a salary of \$1,800. There are a few of \$1,600—not above a dozen in the whole service. The limit for them seems by general consent to be \$1,200. This is entirely without reference to capacity. There are instances of linguists and translators at \$1,200 per year, sitting in the room with men who do vastly inferior work, but who receive for it a third more salary. Under the new law merit alone is supposed to win, and the argument of the ladies that the best places are to be opened to them seems to be unanswerable.

A Free Fight at a Dance.

FORT SMITH, ARK., March 26.—At a party given at the house of Lewis Cooper, a very respectable colored man living nine miles from here, in the Choctaw Nation, a general row occurred between 11 and 12 o'clock, in which knives, pistols and clubs were freely used. Elijah Henderson was fatally shot by Silas Johnson, a son-in-law of Cooper. Johnson surrendered to the United States Marshal this morning, claiming that the killing was justifiable. Witnesses have been sent for and a judicial investigation will be had. Johnson has been committed to jail to await the result.

The Jeter Jury Disagree.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 26.—The jury in the Jeter murder trial has been discharged unable to agree, after fifty-eight hours' deliberation. They stood eleven to one for acquittal all the time. An impression is growing that the case will be nolle prosequed, although at first blush it appeared to be a plain one for the prosecution.